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Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. van Roijen

Dear Bob and Hildegard:

It is with deepest regret that Clover and I have learned of the tragic death of your daughter, Melba.

There is little that can be said or done in times such as this, but I want you to know that our thoughts are with you.

Please accept our sincere condolences.

Sincerely,

**SIGNED**

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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